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Department of Natural Resources

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Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

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January 16, 2007

Mr. Toby Reed, Branch Manager JPMorgan Chase 185 South State Street Salt Lake City, Utah 84111



Subject:

Authorization for Release of Certificate of Deposit (CD) and Termination of CD Letter Agreement, Gemstone Mining Inc., Red Emerald Mine Site, M/001/045, Beaver County, Utah

Dear Mr. Reed,

JPMorgan Chase is presently holding a Certificate of Deposit (CD), account number (Bank One, Utah, NA, issued), for the benefit of the State of Utah, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining as a form of reclamation surety for Gemstone Mining Inc. for their Red Emerald Mine Site.

The Operator, Gemstone Mining, Inc., have performed their obligations under the terms of the agreement therefore:

- The Division authorizes JP Morgan Chase to release the full deposit amount of \$9200.00 along with any accrued interest to the Owners, or their legal successorsin-interest;
- The unconditional control of the CD shall be returned to the Owner;
- The terms and conditions associated with the CD Letter Agreement are no longer in effect;
- The enclosed copy of the CD letter agreement is now terminated.

If you have any questions or require further discussion regarding the content of this letter, please contact Ms. Beth Ericksen (801) 538-5318.

John R Baza

Director

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enc: cd letter agreement, copy

Gemstone Mining, Inc, Attention: Dominique Merz, 599 N. 800 W. #6, Cedar City, Utah 84720 (w/enc original)

Tom Munsonr, OGM Beth Ericksen, OGM

Ed Ginouves, BLM, (ed ginouves@blm.gov)



Kathleen Clarke Executive Director Lowell P. Braxton Division Director

Re:

1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210 PO Box 145801 Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801 801-538-5340 801-359-3940 (Fax)

801-538-7223 (TDD)

November 15, 2001

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Bank One 185 South State Street Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

Attention: Matt Miles, Relationship Banker

Reclamation Surety, Time Deposit Receipt Account for Red Emerald Mine Site,

M/001/045, Beaver County, Utah

Time Deposit Receipt Account No. Principal Amount \$200,200.00.

This letter describes the mutually agreed upon instructions of the below signed parties to <u>Bank</u>

One Bank ("Bank"), regarding the control, redemption, and release of Bank's above-described Time

Deposit Receipt Account ("TDRA"), which is being used as a surety to guarantee the availability of reclamation funds for the <u>Red Emerald</u> mine site, Beaver County, Utah ("Mine Site"). It is the intention of the parties that the TDRA be utilized as surety to guarantee that \$200,200.00 in reclamation funds will be available to the State of Utah, Division of Oil, Gas & Mining ("Division") and the U.S. Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management ("agency") upon demand in the event that the operator(s) of the Mine Site are unable or unwilling to complete reclamation of the mine site in compliance with state law and regulations including but not limited to Title 40-8-14(7), and Rules R647-4-114 & R647-5-101.

Ownership and Renewal:

Ownership of the TDRA is retained by <u>Gemstone Mining Company</u>, a Utah corporation, ("Owners"), but it is held by Bank for the benefit of the State of Utah, Division of Oil, Gas & Mining and the U.S. Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management and is subject to the terms and conditions described in this agreement. The TDRA shall automatically renew indefinitely until either redeemed or released by both the Director of the Division and the authorized officer of the U.S. Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management.



Redemption:

The TDRA may only be redeemed (i.e., called on demand), pursuant to the written instruction or demand of both the Director of the Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining and the authorized officer of U.S.

Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management to the Bank. Upon the instruction and demand of the Director and authorized officer of the U.S. Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management the full initial amount of the TDRA shall be transferred to the State of Utah, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.

Owners agree and irrevocably instruct Bank that neither the Owner(s), nor any other person claiming an ownership interest in the TDRA which is derived from the Owners, shall have the authority to prevent the Bank from carrying out the Director's instruction to redeem the TDRA. Upon redemption, any accrued interest in excess of the initial amount of the TDRA shall be transferred to Owners' control, or if Owners do not instruct the Bank, the accrued interest shall be reinvested in the TDRA. If a signature card is prepared, it shall be drafted consistent with the requirement that only the Director of the Division and the authorized officer of the U.S. Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management may redeem the TDRA.

Release:

The bank shall release the TDRA only upon the written instruction of both the Director of the Division and the authorized officer of the U.S. Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management to the Bank. Upon release, the terms and conditions of this agreement are no longer in effect, and the unconditioned control of the TDRA shall be returned to the Owners, or their legal successors-in-interest.

Accrued Interest:

Prior to release or redemption, all interest which accrues by the TDRA shall be 1) dispersed quarterly to the Owner(s) as the Owner(s) may instruct the Bank, or 2) shall be reinvested in the TDRA until such time the Owner(s) may instruct the Bank where to transfer such interest. In no event shall the Bank transfer any amount from the TDRA which would cause the redemption amount of the TDRA to be less than the initial amount of \$200,200.00. All tax liabilities for accrued interest shall remain the sole responsibility of the Owners.

Bank will not be held liable for any dispute between the parties.

Lowell P. Braxton, Director Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining Tax ID Number:	Date: 12/03/0/
Robert Lopez, Authorized Officer U.S. Department of Interior, Joureau of Land Management Utah State Office	Date: 12/03/01
Scott Wilkinson, Agent Tax ID Number:	Date: 11/20/01
Matt Miles, Relationship Banker Bank One o:\m01-45-cd-cover.doc	Date: 12/3/01

m/001/045

March 26, 2003

COMPLETED

Dear Joelle Burns:

This CD was opened on 11-23-1999 in the amount of \$200,200.00.

It appears, by reading notes made to the file, that on Feb. 11, 2002 the CD was reduced to \$25,300.00.

I have enclosed a copy of the notes made to the file.

Hope this Helps.

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

Peggy A Goff

ABCM Bank One NA

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m/001/045

June 5, 2003

COMPLETED

Dear Joelle Burns:

CD # 880067493931 was reduced to \$9,200.00 on May 2, 2003.

This transaction was completed by Jeff Jones the Relationship Manager for this account.

The current balance on this CD is \$9,210.91.

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Hope this Helps.

Peggy A Goff
ABCM Bank One NA

Account Profile

Customer Name:

GEMSTONE MINING INC

Bank ID:

Utah

Account #:

880067493931

Account Type:

BANK = ONE ~ 1001/045

Account Title:

GEMSTONE MINING INC FBO

Account Tax ID:

CD/IRA

UTAH DIV OF OIL

GAS AND MINING AND US DEPT

OF INTERIOR

Application

11/30/2001

Cost Center:

Password:

405 Market Segment: None **Refresh Date:**

Branch:

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*Financial Information Comments

Contacts

Product ID:	12-17 Month CD	Account Status:	RNWL
Current Balance:	\$203103.88	Available Balance:	\$2903.88
Redemption Amount:	\$203103.88	Early Redemption Penalty:	\$0.00
Interest Rate:	1.98%	Interest Per Diem:	\$11.01
Accrued Interest PTD:	0.00	Interest Paid YTD:	\$10925.62
Interest Payment Frequency:	30D	Next Interest Payment Date:	11/23/2001
Interest Payment Method:	Capitalize	Interest Payment Account #:	
Original Deposit:	\$200200.00	CD Term:	365 Day
Current Issue Date:	11/23/2000	Next Maturity Date:	11/23/2001
Outstanding Payment Date:	00/00/0000	Outstanding Payment Amount:	\$0.00
Last Monetary Transaction Date:	11/23/2001	Last Non-Monetary	11/30/2001



Miscellaneous

Transaction Date:

Open Date: Close Date: 00/00/0000 11/23/1999 Holds:

Υ **Restrictions:**

Officer Code: 528826795 Special Instructions: Data Not Available

Activity Date:

Withholding Code: 01 - CORPORATION

Related Customers

Name	Tax ID	Relationship	Date of Birth
GEMSTONE MINING INC	841428687	Sole Owner	00/00/0000
ROBERT LOPEZ	000000000	Signer	00/00/0000







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Bank No.____

Business Signature Card

Account No

GENSTONE MINING INC FBO UTAH DIVISION OF OIL GAS AND MINING AND US DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR

Accountinho Non-Personal CD

Corporation

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PO BOX 3413 CEDAR CITY UT 84721-3413

Date Opened

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